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630 one month	.....	94.50
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640 one month	.....	96.00
645 one month	.....	96.75
650 one month	.....	97.50
655 one month	.....	98.25
660 one month	.....	99.00
665 one month	.....	99.75
670 one month	.....	100.50
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**THE LOVE OF ANIMALS.**

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**Many Forms It May Take—Shepherd's Fondness for Flock.**

From the Live Stock Journal.

Love of animals amounts to a passion with many people. I have seen a lady so affected by the death of her cat as to put

on mourning and purchase a shrine. Another was scarcely less seriously affected by the death of her dog, and treated her loss as a first-class bereavement. The love of animals may take many forms: artistic, scientific, charitable, sporting, educational, or, as a desire for their improvement, by breeding.

The annals of live stock abound in instances of devotion, expressed in vigorous language, as, for instance, a dictum of the great Lord Althorp that the man who cannot sit on a saddle for an hour looking at a sheep is not fit to be a sheep breeder. It is related of Mr. Humphries,

the famous pioneer and breeder of Hampshire Down, that he would thank him for his words, and then he stalked and look at a newly born lamb in the pen, turning it round and examining it for an hour—and more, added his old shepherd. The writer was informed many years ago by a well known sportsman and tourist that the celebrated Fisher Hobbs was always among the pigs watching them.

This close attention may not be common among masters, but it is universal among stockmen, who study their animals literally by the hour. Shepherds, when apparently doing nothing, are studying their sheep, as any one may find who has been in the country.

means actual appreciation of each individual in a flock of 500 or 1,000. They recognize them by their faces, which to a casual observer are all alike. This makes for a more noticeable and more interesting, without which no one can be a successful breeder.

The foregoing remarks are suggestive of a certain romance or poetry without which the art of bird breeding is dead. One who loves to watch birds and collect eggs naturally grows into a sportsman or a fancier; but in mature years he will look back on his youthful ardor as the bud of a more perfect flower. Seasoned breeders will remember the romance which prompted them to resist the temptations of com-

merce and manufacture in order to dedicate their lives to country life. They may have repented of their choice, but for all that their hearts are still true to their earliest fancy. Ardent lovers of cattle feel in their hearts that they have been constant to their first love, however disadvantageous the alliance may have proved, judged by a money standard.

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### WEDDING SUPERSTITIONS.

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#### Why Ring Is Placed on Fourth Finger of Left Hand.

Though popular superstitions may lack reason or reasonable explanation, they must have an origin, and this has formed the basis of quite an interesting book by T. Sharper Knowlson.

The question of the wedding ring and why it should be placed on the fourth finger on the left hand he traces back to a writer in the British Apollo (1708).

"There is nothing more in this," it is stated, "than that the custom was handed down to the present age from the practice of our ancestors, who found the left hand more convenient

for such ornaments than the right, in the same manner employed; and for the same reason they chose the fourth finger, which is not only less used than either of the rest, but is more capable of preserving a ring from bruises, having this great use, that it cannot be extended but in company with some other finger, whereas the rest may be singly stretched to their full length and straightness."

The superstition that the shoe should bring luck at a wedding is another superstition curious to explain.

"It was in the sense of confirming a sale or exchange that the Jews understood the shoe, as when they were to be sold, they were to be shod with sandals. When the kinsman of Boaz

consented to waive his claim upon the parcel of land which Naomi would sell in favor of Boaz, he put off his shoe," for "a shoe" is a symbol in Israel of a man's claim.

"In a different sense the removal of a shoe marks the winding up of negotiations among the laws and ordinances given in the book of Deuteronomy, where the widow who is refused marriage" by her husband's surviving brother is directed to "come unto him in the presence of his elders, and loose his shoe from off his foot," thus assuring the widow that she has heard no word of blame for failure to comply with the law.

"When the Emperor Vladimir pro-

"I will not take off my shoe to the son of a slave."  
 "In Anglo-Saxon marriages the bridegroom delivered his shoe to the bridegroom, who touched her on the head with it in token of his authority."

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**Only a Strap-Hanger.**  
 From Pittsburgh Post.  
 "I fear she is a sad coquette. Have you a place in her heart?"  
 "I'm one of the strap-hangers."